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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Levenberg <i>et al.</i>	Examiner:	Sgagias, M.K.
Serial Number:	10/731,672	Art Unit:	1632
Filed:	December 9, 2003	Conf. No.:	6356
For:	ENGINEERING THREE-DIMENSIONAL TISSUE STRUCTURES USING DIFFERENTIATING EMBRYONIC STEM CELLS		

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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed January 7, 2010 (the "Office Action"), in the above-referenced application. The deadline for responding to the Office Action without fees was April 7, 2010. A three (3) month extension of time from April 7, 2010, up to and including July 7, 2010, is hereby respectfully requested, and the extension fee of \$555.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) for a small entity is being paid by credit card. Applicant thus submits that the present Response is timely filed on July 7, 2010, with a Request for Continued Examination.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this Response.